



Affiliate Annual Report for Calendar Year 2024

(Complete Attachment B to be considered for one or more 2025 Affiliate Awards.)

To maintain compliance with IAFP Constitution and Bylaws, Affiliates must return this completed report. Please send by email to Susan Smith at: ssmith@foodprotection.org.

Please return the following items **electronically** by **Tuesday, March 4, 2025** (late reports will not be considered for awards):

REQUIRED:

This completed form *(in English)*.

Your Association's list of current term officers (complete Attachment A).

OPTIONAL:

Attachment B: Completion required **only** if your Association requests to be considered for one or more Affiliate Awards.

IAFP now accepts **all** Affiliate Annual Reports electronically, including those vying for one or more of the Affiliate Awards. *Affiliates seeking to present the highest quality visual presentation are encouraged to present their Annual Report in the highest quality possible for review by the Selection Committee. To avoid errors and omissions, please limit your submission to ONE email with all attachments.*

Digital photos (with names and descriptions) to appear in the *Affiliate View* quarterly newsletter.

Washington Association for Food Protection

1. Your Official Delegate to IAFP Affiliate Council and Contact

*Enter in the fields below the information requested for your Association's official Delegate to the IAFP Affiliate Council and your official Contact for IAFP correspondence. **Delegate must be an IAFP Member.***

Official Delegate to IAFP Affiliate Council

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IAFP Member? Y ☒ N ☐

Official Contact for IAFP Correspondence (indicate “same” if person also serves as Delegate)

same

IAFP Member? Y ☒ N ☐

2. Membership List

- a. Indicate the current total number of members in your Association: 41
- b. How many NEW members joined your Association in 2024? 11

3. Meetings: Annual Meeting/Conference, Educational, Workshops, Webinars, etc.

- a. On what date(s) was your most recent general membership or major meeting (i.e., Annual Meeting/Conference) during the past year? Please list number of attendees.

The 2024 WAFFP Annual Meeting was held September 12-13, 2023, in Chelan, WA, USA, with 50 attendees from academia, food industry, and government.

- b. Please provide the date(s) and location of your next scheduled major meeting (i.e., Annual Meeting/Conference):

The 2025 WAFFP Annual Meeting will be held on September 11-12, 2024, in Chelan, WA, USA.

- c. List all other general membership meetings held in 2024 (excluding board meetings). Include title, dates and attendance numbers.

No other meetings were held in 2023	
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4. Awards and Scholarships

a. List members honored with an award from your Association and/or IAFP during 2024. Include name of award and qualification for award.

Stephanie Olmsted	Award of Excellence for her many years of service to WAFFP. She has been with WAFFP since 1990, and has been an integral part of the continued success of the organization. She is a Past President and also held the Treasurer, Secretary, and Affiliate Delegate roles for many years (and for many years she held a combination of those roles which is an incredible feat).
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b. List scholarships awarded during 2024; include recipient and qualification for scholarship.

WAFFP / Lloyd O. Leudecke Endowed Scholarship at WSU is for a junior or senior majoring in Food Science and Technology who has demonstrated interest in the food industry as has been shown by course work and/or work experience. The recipient(s) must also be outstanding individuals in terms of academic achievement, leadership, character, campus activities, and departmental activities.	Sherine Cynnette Ortiz is a junior in Food Science at Washington State University. Marek Fitos-Link is a junior in Food Science at Washington State University.
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5. Web Communication

Please be sure to keep the IAFP office on your mailing list for newsletters, email, and other communications to your general membership.

Please provide your existing Affiliate's Web site address AND date last updated:

Web Address: WAFFP.com

Last updated: December 2024

Did you launch a new Affiliate Web site in 2024? Y ☐ N ☒

Attachment A (completion required)

Association Officers List

Provide the contact information requested below for all current officers of your Association. **Please indicate if each officer is an IAFP Member (reminder: Your President and Delegate are required to be IAFP Members).** The information you provide here is published on our website and in select membership materials. The information may be typed in the fields below or may be sent to our office by email, fax or regular mail.

Indicate the term dates (e.g., 2024–2025) for your current Executive Board:
2024-2025

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